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## Junior Week Preparations Complete Girdner Dropped From University

**Junior Promenade at Willard Ballroom to be Gorgeous Social Event—Nature of Favors Unannounced—Reception for Washington's Birthday—Mimes Play Presented to Climax Week.**

Tense feeling of excitement and anticipation prevades the campus as the students await with as much patience as possible the events of Junior Week, the biggest social program of the University calendar. Last minute preparations are being made by the chairmen of the committees in charge of the social classic in order to insure the finest and best week ever held.

The annual week of playtime was inaugurated with basketball games between the Catholic University and the G. W. Varsity, and the contest between the G. W. Girls and those of Sweet Briar College. Both games were played at the Coliseum, Ninth and Pennsylvania Avenue N. W.

Promptly at ten o'clock tonight, the twelve musicians of Happy Walker's Golden Pheasant Society Orchestra will blare forth the latest jazz which will keep the 250 or more couples enlivened and happy until two o'clock the next morning. This orchestra, which is considered one of the best in the city, has just completed a fifty weeks tour of Keith's Vaudeville circuit. Many novel and new features in the way of syncope have been prepared by Happy for this occasion and are sure to please the gay revellers attending the grand promenade and waving a red flag in the face of tomorrow's lessons.

The biggest event of the evening, the promenade, will be held, according to present plans, shortly after 10 o'clock. Harold Young, president of the Columbian College Juniors, with Anne Lattener, a freshman in the same college will lead this colorful ceremony.

The nature of the favors is still being kept a secret by the committee under the chairmanship of Betty Bradford. However, members of the committee on favors, feel confident that their choice will please. Refreshments have been provided to heighten the joyous occasion.

"Everything possible has been done to make this the best prom ever held and we think everybody will be pleased and satisfied. We hope all will have a great time and will remember the Junior Prom of 1924 as the best party they ever attended," was the message expressed by Leonard D. McCarthy, chairman in charge. "We are doing all in our power to make the outcome a happy and successful one," he further added.

Following the biggest and most colorful event of the week, will come the Presidential Reception, Friday, February 22, from 4:30 to 7:30 at the Willard Hotel ballroom. As this is the first large social affair that has been given since William Mather Lewis, was made president of the University, it has been decided by the Junior Week chairmen, that it would be fitting to dedicate the entire week to his honor. In order to follow out this plan, the annual reception given by the Junior Class will be in honor of President and Mrs. William Mather Lewis.

The week will be brought to a close by the Junior presentation of The Mimes in three one act plays. The plays to be presented are "Waterloo," written and directed by Leonard Hall, dramatic critic of The Washington News; "Another Way Out," by Lawrence Langner and directed by J. Foster Hagan, president of the Mimes; "Two on a Park Bench," written and directed by William Northrop Morse, assistant professor in English in the University. The plays will be presented in the chapel of Lisner Hall and the price of admission will be fifty cents.

The committee in charge of the fifth Annual Junior Week program are:

Chairman of Week, Herbert H. Mitchell.  
Prom Committee, L. D. McCarthy, chairman; Graham Fly, vice chairman; Dorothy Haddock, Dorothy Bartly, Marguerite Daly, William B. Campbell, Jack Hitchens, Richard Wilkenson, J. B. Boyd, John R. Hobson, Catharine Hough, William G. Kerlin, Francis E. Edwards, Margaret Conlyn, Kenneth Bushman, Frank A. Dawson, Bartley H. Corbin, Catherine Lantel, Ruth Beck, and George Brown.

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### NUMBER ONE

Seated by unanimous vote of the Student Council as representative from the Graduate School, February 4th; dropped from the rolls of the University and incidentally from the roster of the council February 14th. Thus an epitaph for Waldo Girdner's political aspirations.

The Independent Party has suffered the loss of a member. Girdner was associated with the other members of the party now on the council in the inception of the Independents' organization. Sometime later, it is understood from current rumors, Girdner and the party dissented. But presumably the breach was healed, for recently the combine worked for his election to the council. He was elected.

His political friends, however, failed to get the necessary sanction of Dean Henning. The council, in session, didn't bother about it. They seated him unanimously.

Now, Dean Henning has overriden the action of the council, a thing which, in itself, a more timorous man would hesitate to do, and Mr. Girdner finds himself minus a collegiate status, for "failure in studies, delinquency in payment of fees, and open defiance of his dean."

The council should find a warning in this sorry mess of affairs. A warning that it behooves the council to stop its squabbling over petty matter of personal and political importance, and devote its entire energies in making the growth of student activities concomitant with the progress of the University.

### DR. FITCH GIVES SERMON

Last Sunday, Dr. Robert F. Fitch, President of Hang Chow College of Hang Chow, China, delivered the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class.

Dr. Fitch has done considerable exploration work in Tibet for the National Geological Society. He is a member of the Asiatic branch of the Royal Geographic Society. He is at present spending a year in this country in the interest of the college.

### List of Junior Week Events

Monday, February 18.....	BASKETBALL.....	G. W. Varsity vs. Catholic University. G. W. Girls vs. Sweet Briar College.
	\$1.00 or Tax Card "B," 7.30 p. m.,	Coliseum, Ninth and Pennsylvania Avenue N. W.
Tuesday, February 19.....	JUNIOR PROM.....	Dancing from 10-2 a. m. Happy Walker's Golden Pheasant Society Orchestra.
	\$7.00. Ballroom, Hotel Willard,	Fourteenth and F Streets N.W.
Friday, February 22.....	CONVOCATION.....	Commencement exercises for February graduates. John Campbell Merriam, principal speaker.
	2.30 p. m.	Memorial Continental Hall, Seventeenth and D Streets N. W.
	4.30-7.30 p. m.....	PRESIDENTIAL RECEPTION given to Faculty, Alumni, Students, and friends of the University. Invitation.
Saturday, February 23.....	Junior Presentation of THE MIMES in "Two on a Park Bench," "Another way Out," "Waterloo."	
	Fifty cents. Lisner Hall, 2023 G Street N. W.	8.30 p. m.

February 14, 1924.

To the Editor,  
University Hatchet:

I request the courtesy of your columns for the following statement in regard to the "election" of Mr. W. W. Girdner to the Student Council from the Graduate School.

I am told by other deans that it has been the custom for the name of each candidate for the Student Council to be submitted for approval to the dean of the candidate's department. The same right has been recognized in my case in the past. It was tacitly recognized by friends of Mr. Girdner when they requested my approval the other day. I informed them, and informed Mr. Girdner in person, that his candidacy would not be approved. In the face of my disapproval, which was not given without reason, and contrary to precedent, Mr. Girdner was admitted to the council after "election" by 12 votes (I take the figures from the Hatchet) out of a registration of approximately 350.

To characterize this action as disconcerting to an administration officer of the University would be, I think, a very conservative statement.

Mr. Girdner has this day been dropped from the Graduate School for failure in studies, for delinquency in payment of fees, and for open defiance of his dean.

The student body is at present giving a splendid example of enthusiasm, of self-sacrifice, and of cooperation with faculty and alumni in the effort to make a greater and finer University. Would not this same spirit, if applied to the affairs of the Student Council, increase the respect in which the body is held by students and faculty?

Very truly yours,  
GEO. N. HENNING,  
Dean, School of Graduate Studies.

### SENIOR CLASS PRESIDENTS PROMISE COOPERATION

Cooperation for the plans of having a farewell week and a senior prom as proposed by the officers of Columbian College Seniors is assured by the hearty approval received from the presidents of the Senior classes in the other colleges. It was also learned from reliable sources that the University authorities will approve and support the project.

It is too early for definite expression of plans for the events, but it was made very clear by the presidents of the various college senior classes that the utmost cooperation would exist between different departments, so the success of the undertaking will not be endangered by rivalry and bickering.

The presidents of the Senior Classes are: Columbian College, Hilroy A. Tolson; Teacher's College, Betty Booth; Engineering College, E. C. McKay and the Law Department, Hugo Kemman.

### ENGINEERS MEET

The Engineering Society met in the chapel Friday, February 15, to gain a little knowledge upon the problem of air traffic. Mr. Star Truscott gave a lecture upon "Airships, Their Use and Possible Future." Reference was made to the Shenandoah's polar flight.

### Failure in Studies and Payment of Fees Given as Reasons by Dean Henning

(Dean Henning was forced to write the Hatchet two copies of the letter which appears in the adjacent column. The first letter, written and mailed on Thursday, did not reach the Hatchet office until late Saturday evening, and then by unknown messenger. The delay of the letter seems most peculiar. Most.—Editor.)

Replying to the action taken by the Student Council at its last meeting, when the "election" of Waldo Girdner as the member of the council from the School of Graduate Studies was declared legal, Dean Henning has issued a statement giving his reasons for refusing to approve Girdner's petition.

According to the regulation governing election of members to the Student Council each member, before placing his name on the ballot, must secure the approval of the dean of the department which he hopes to represent. Before the election Waldo Girdner presented his petition to Dean Henning, who refused to approve it. Dean Henning told Girdner his reasons for refusing, but Girdner, in defiance of his dean, submitted his name for election.

There are over three hundred students in the School of Graduate Studies, and only twelve of these students voted at the Student Council election, all twelve votes being cast for Waldo Girdner. When the election was announced to the Student Council, that body, after a heated discussion, declared the election valid and Girdner was seated at the last council meeting.

Dean Henning states three specific reasons for refusing to approve the Girdner's nomination. Girdner has failed in three of the four subjects he is taking in the Graduate School. Dean Henning also state that he has been dropped from the rolls of that school, and the third reason given is the disrespectful and defiant attitude he has assumed towards his dean.

### NATIONAL CAMPAIGN BRING BIG RESULTS

\$400,000 Mark Reached on February 16th—New York City Campaign Started

The National Committee for a Building and Endowment Fund for George Washington University announced that on February 16th the committee had raised \$400,000 in the city of Washington.

The city is being thoroughly canvassed by the members of the committee, and by the end of the campaign it is expected that the total will be better than a half million.

Through the courtesy of the management of the Ambassador Theater, the proceeds from the afternoon show on February 15th was given to the George Washington University fund. Mrs. Coolidge was in attendance at the theater as a guest of the management.

By wire, from those conducting the campaign in New York City, at their opening dinner on February 15th, they pledged themselves to raise \$300,000 in their "own home town."

The results from the campaign so far have been exceptionally good, and when the returns from other places are read there will be no doubt that the sum tried for has been pledged.

The campaign will not end until the later part of February.

### PHI SIGMA KAPPA HOSTS

Pete Macias and his six piece L'Aiglon Orchestra entertained at a Phi Sigma Kappa smoker on Wednesday evening, February 13. Under the influence of his tantalizing melodies, smoke rings behaved in a manner that was quite surprising.

There were about forty men present, and Professor West of the Political Science Department attended. Joseph Batt, vice-president of the Southern Region of the Fraternity, was also present.



# Mimes to Present Three Plays

The Mimes, dramatic organization of the University, will present three one-act plays on Saturday night, February 23, in Lisner Hall, as the closing event of the Junior Home Coming Celebration. The plays are scheduled to start at 8.30 p. m.

This is the second appearance of the Mimes in so far as their dramatic efforts are concerned. The plays to be given Saturday were given to an invitation audience in the Chapel last December; this effort is to herald the first public presentation.

Leonard Hall, dramatic editor of the Washington Daily News, and William Northrup Morse, Professor of English here at the University, have allowed the use of plays they themselves wrote; and in addition have seen to the direction of them.

Mr. Hall has been connected with The Mimes since early last year, and has kept up his work with them as sort of a godfather-critic. Mr. Morse is an honorary member of the organization.

The plays scheduled are: "Waterloo," by Leonard Hall; "Two on a Park Bench," by William N. Morse; and "Another Way Out," by Lawrence Langner. J. Foster Hagan is directing the last named.

The casts of character include: "Waterloo"—Alpha Booth, W. C. Allard, Jr. and Henry James; "Two on a Park Bench"—Leon E. A. Chagnon and John Geiger; and "Another Way Out"—Lonnelle Davison, Dorothy Bartlett, Bess Bartley, G. Wilfrid Pryor, and J. Foster Hagan.

The Mimes has attempted to do something different from the usual run of college plays. They have tried to acquire the degree of poise and skill that will alleviate the awkwardness of the amateur, and they have been successful to a certain extent. To what extent, of course, it will be the pleasure of the audience Saturday to say.

Throughout the performance it may be noticed that the stress is laid on the way the lines are said, attention being given to the manner of speaking rather than to the thing said. The gesturing and posturing, so agreeable to the amateur, have been eliminated so far as humanely possible.

The plays themselves are satires, the first on—but it is not fair to disclose the show so far in advance.

Marguerite Carlton is in charge of the musical program, which will be given during the changes in scene. Thomas K. Mount, of the Law School, is managing the stage, and Elizabeth Bigos, C. C., is in charge of properties in addition to assisting the staging of the performance.

## BAPTISTS PLAN TO RECLAIM UNIVERSITY

Introduced at Memphis Conference—  
Nonsectarian Institution Now—  
Not Likely to Pass

Memphis, Tenn.—Introduction of a plan proposing reclamation of George Washington University by the Baptist Church was an outstanding feature at the session of the Southwide Conference of Baptist Laymen on February 14th.

The plan to reclaim the University took definite shape when the conference named a committee to confer with a similar committee to be appointed by the Southern Baptist Convention when it meets in Atlanta in May. The two committees will be instructed to consider the proposition and formulate a definite plan by which the church may regain control.

The laymen's committee is composed of Congressman B. G. Lowrey, Mississippi; Congressman W. D. Upshaw, Georgia; and J. H. Anderson, of Knoxville, Tenn.

The original charter issued to the University by Congress in 1821 made no distinction as to religion, and not until 1898, through a petition to Congress that the president and two-thirds of the trustees be Baptists, which was granted, was there such a control by the Baptist Church. Five years later, by another petition from the trustees of the University, the college was again restored to its original status of 1821.

Since 1903 George Washington University has been conducted as a nonsectarian, nondenominational institution.

Congressman B. G. Lowrey, of Mississippi, said that not until the committee met would they be able to give out any information regarding the plan adopted by the conference. It is expected that they will meet next week to decide.

University officials are of the belief that at the present time such a plan would not be feasible and will not be able to be carried out.

### "Y" MET FEBRUARY 8

Mrs. Harriet Hawler Locher spoke at the meeting of the Y. W. C. A. held Friday, February 8, at the W. U. C. rooms, 2027 G Street, on "The Educational Value of Motion Pictures." Mrs. Locher has had wide experience in working for the Crandall theatres. A luncheon was held after the meeting.



LEONARD HALL

Critic and adviser of The Mimes, who is directing the presentation of his own play, "Waterloo," next Saturday night in Lisner Hall.

## JUNIOR WEEK PREPARATIONS COMPLETE

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Reception Committee, W. C. Allard, Jr., chairman; Lawrence K. Hyde, vice chairman; Henry James, William Roediss, Phil Rodier, Mary G. Connor, Ardiss A. Smith, Edwin Brooker, F. L. Pearce, George C. White, John B. Wright, Nan Darton, Caroline West, Pauline Ayres, Fred Youngman, Gretchen Campbell and Le Verne Crabtree.

Play, H. G. Bradley, chairman; Charles I. Haycraft, Louise Hancock, Marian Casey, H. B. McCoy.

Publicity, Ernest L. Stewart, chairman; Edward Higgins, vice chairman; Carl Lee Alden, M. J. Bussard, Arnold McNitt, J. M. Levine, Isabelle Brown.

Finance, David H. Strothers, chairman; G. K. Ludwig, vice chairman; Carl H. Sontag, Milton D. Ladd, Mary Cramer, M. A. Lisner.

## CO-EDS GET ALL HONORS IN STUDENT'S CAMPAIGN

Francis Randolph and Helen Hanford  
Lead Competition and  
Win Awards

Miss Francis Randolph won individual honors in the campaign among the students for funds to rebuild George Washington, obtaining pledges amounting to \$4,620. She stated that she secured most of the money by incessant talking. She stood outside the Library door and got pass as they went in and as they came out. She also did some of her work on the campus before and after classes.

Miss Randolph graduated from Central High School in 1922. She is a member of Gamma Delta Rho, Gamma Eta Zeta (Journalistic) and is active on the "University Hatchet."

Miss Mary Louise Lemon was second in the amount secured. She is also a graduate of Central High School, and is on the Hockey Team and a member of the Pi Beta Phi.

## DEAN RUEDIGER STATES SUMMER SCHOOL PLANS

Dean William C. Ruediger announces June 16 as the opening date for the first nine weeks' summer session and July 7 as the opening date of the second session, both of which will end August 16.

Since many teachers are attending the N. E. A. convention in this city the last week in June, and are anticipating doing summer work while here, George Washington offers an extensive course in vocational guidance tests, and improvements in method of instruction. This course is given by Arthur D. Wright, of Dartmouth. A special course in principals' problems and supervision has also been arranged.

In view of the new requirements for a one-third section course for all graduate work, subjects above fifty will be listed in the summer catalogue.

To aid in the housing problem, arrangements for accommodations have already been made with the Colonial School, at Eighteenth and Q Streets N. W.

## G. W. PLAYERS MEET

At the meeting of the G. W. Players last Tuesday night, it was decided that one of Mary Roberts Rinehart's plays will be given in the interest of the Endowment Fund. Mrs. Rinehart has been invited to make a personal appearance at the performance.

The one-act play, "A Railroad Adventure," will be given at the next meeting of the Players on March 6. Everyone interested in dramatics is urged to come.

Dorothy Overstreet entertained at luncheon, February 9.

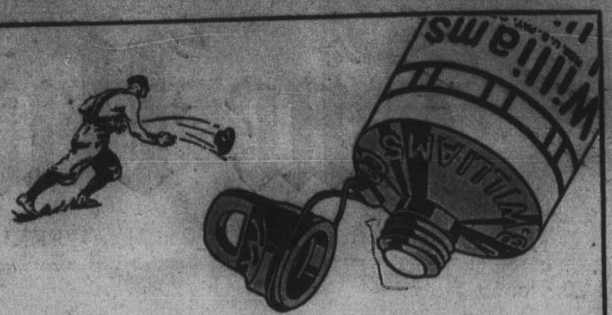
## LEWIS AND HODGKINS BUSY ON CAMPAIGN

Completing Organization of National  
Endowment Drive; Holding  
Luncheon

President William Mather Lewis and Dean Howard L. Hodgkins have been active the past week in completing the organization of the national campaign for the endowment fund. President Lewis has worked in New York, where, at a luncheon, a George Washington club was founded. Dean Hodgkins has been active in Baltimore and Philadelphia. Campaign luncheons are to be held at Detroit and at Dayton. A great number of unsolicited contributions have come in from all parts. George Washington University is known as well, if not better, to the people on the Pacific Coast as those on the Atlantic.

"Expansion of George Washington University's curriculum will be along the lines of political science, economics, international law and diplomacy, and business administration," says Dean Hodgkins. "George Washington will continue to be especially the place for higher learning of the graduates of the high schools of the District who come properly prepared. At present its enrollment numbers about 200 more than all the other colleges and universities of the District combined," stated the Dean. He predicted a special development in debate in connection with which the public speaking course would be enlarged.

Elizabeth Dorsey and Elisabeth Booth went down to Randolph Macon College during the past week.



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# G. W. Quint Downs Maryland

**Stage Great Comeback—Dowd Seals Game in Last Two Minutes**

Breaking away from a long string of losses, the Hatchette quint came to the front Saturday night at the Coliseum by downing the crack Maryland team 20 to 19.

The contest was a hard fought one all the way through. The game started with the Old Liners running away to what seemed for a while another victory, but the Buff and Blue boys soon found themselves, and when the half were only behind by two points, 11 to 9.

From the beginning of the second period the Hatchettes staged a rally and tied the score at eleven, and it was not until the last minute when Dowd dropped a beauty in from the center of floor, that the game was in any way certain.

Klopsch, started the scoring for George Washington, and his final count was eight points to his credit. Brown and Dowd each finished with five points for their names.

Esnor was the mainstay of the Old Liners, scoring 13 of their 19 points. Peables and Beatty each made a basket, which, together with two foul shots, constituted their share of the points.

Since the Georgetown game, the Downtown five have taken a new lease on life. They forced the fast Loyola team to an extra period, losing by only four points. Saturday night they were out for blood, and got it.

## GLEE CLUB GIVES CONCERT

George Washington University's Men's Glee Club gave a concert in the Masonic Auditorium Thursday night. The program was very well arranged, consisting of a number of offerings by the club; piano, saxophone, and vocal solos, and numbers by the University orchestra.

The receipts were for the benefit of the Building and Endowment Fund, and a sum well over two hundred dollars was turned over to the Fund as a result of the concert.

The program follows:

"The Forge", Bullard, "The Sandman", Protheroe, "George Washington", J. N. Pierce, by the Glee Club; saxophone solo, "Valse Vamite", Wiedoeft, Carl Claudy; flute solo, William Calahan; "Fishing", Brown, "Pies", Beswick, by the Octet; piano solo, "Rondo Capriccioso", Mendelssohn, Wilmer Bartholomew; "Go Long, Mule", Dixon, "This is She", Rogers, by the Glee Club; Jazzisms, selected, Gable's Melody Men; tenor solo, "Because I love You", Howley, "Her Rose", Smith, Preston Haynes; "De Coppah Moon", Shelley, "Rollin' Down to Rio", German, by the Glee Club.

The patronesses were: Mrs. William Mather Lewis, Mrs. Henry Dawes, Mrs. Guy Despard Goff, Mrs. Landon Burchell, Mrs. Douglas Putnam Birnie, Mrs. Charles H. Woodhull, Mrs. Joshua Evans, Jr., Mrs. James Carroll Frazer, Mrs. Clarence Aspinwall, Mrs. Charles W. Richardson, Mrs. John B. Larner, Mrs. William J. Galther, Mrs. George W. White, Mrs. Harry C. Davis, Mrs. Edwin C. Brandenburg, Mrs. Charles P. Light, Mrs. Charles I. Corby, Mrs. Alvin E. Dodd, Mrs. Francis M. Savage, Mrs. Wm. S. Culbertson, Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. Elliot H. Goodwin, Mrs. Edward Clifford, Mrs. Frank W. Mondell, Mrs. Louis Hertle, Miss Mary A. Sharpe, Mrs. Abram Lisner, Mrs. Archibald Hopkins.

## BASKETBALL TEAM ELECTS OTTO KLOPSCH CAPTAIN

Otto Klopsch, star forward on the basketball team, was elected captain of the quint last Sunday. Klopsch has been acting captain during the entire season, but was not duly elected by the players until Sunday.

At the close of the season last year, Gude Gosnell was elected captain by the team, but was unable to play this season because of eligibility rulings of the University.

This is the second year Klopsch has been with the Buff and Blue five, and his record has been that of a consistent worker on the squad.

## CALIFORNIA BEATEN BY HATCHETTES SHOTS

**Result Believed to be World Record—Captain Walter Stokes Again Big Scorer.**

The George Washington Rifle Team shot against worthy competitors in the University of Washington in the Intersectional Triangular Telegraphic match between the two institutions mentioned and University of California during the week ending February 9, 1924. The Hatchettes were ahead by the narrow margin of eight points, the scores being 972 to 964. G. W.'s highest previous score was 958, made against Johns Hopkins in December. Walter Stokes believes the G. W. score to be intercollegiate record in four position matches.

The University of California has not been heard from.

The match was fired from the four standard positions at 50 feet upon the official N. R. A. target. Ten men represented each competitor and the five high scores counted for team totals.

George A. Anadale, one time high school all around (indoor and outdoor) champion, made the unusual score of a possible 50 out of 50 in the standing position. This is the first time this season that a G. W. man has made this record. Walter R. Stokes, Hatchette Captain, was again high man with 196 out of 200.

The Pacific coast team gave the undefeated varsity team closer competition than any Eastern team has thus far this season. Over the same course this season, Johns Hopkins made 866 and Columbia 921. In the Big New York match the number of shots being doubled, Massachusetts Institute of Technology shot at a 905 clip and Yale at 903.

The G. W. individual scores were as follows:

Walter R. Stokes ..... 196  
George A. Anadale ..... 195  
James M. Berry ..... 195  
Gerald R. Trimble ..... 195  
Thaddeus A. Riley ..... 194

The other G. W. scores were, Hugh Everett, Jr., 190; Eric M. Newcomb, 188; H. Clay Espey, 186; Frank T. Parsons, Jr., 181; and F. N. Strawbridge, 178.

## PRES. LEWIS TO SPEAK

President Lewis will speak before an open meeting of El Club Cervantes at the Pan American Union at 8 o'clock the evening of February 20th. He will also speak before the Federal Club of the Department of the Interior on February 21st, and a luncheon of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants on the 22nd.

## RIFLE TEAM DEFEATS MARYLAND SHOOTERS

**Four Perfect George Washington Scores Feature of Meet—Maryland Shows Good Shooting**

The Men's Rifle Team scored its eighth straight victory in its shoulder-to-shoulder match with Maryland at College Park last Saturday, February 16th, with a score of 499 x 500 to 497.

Competition was keen from the beginning in the afternoon to the end at nine o'clock in the evening. The teams alternated in the lead. The shooting of the Marylanders indicates that they have one of the best college teams in the country, because shooting in the presence of the opponent requires nervous and muscular control and courage.

Walter Stokes just made the team with his 99, the other team members making possible scores of 100. Walt shot first, and when he dropped a point, the boys did their level best to keep him off, but it "couldn't be done."

The detailed scores were as follows:

Maryland:  
E. W. King ..... 100  
G. A. Minas ..... 100  
M. L. Bowser ..... 99  
M. H. White ..... 99  
W. H. Young ..... 99

George Washington:  
George A. Anadale ..... 100  
H. Clay Espey ..... 100  
F. N. Strawbridge ..... 100  
Gerald R. Trimble ..... 100  
Walter R. Stokes, captain ..... 99

499

Strawbridge, who did so well, is a new man. He is expected to be a mainstay of the team in future seasons. He is a graduate of Tech High School of Washington and shot on its team. Other G. W. men made 99s, being outranked by Stokes, as follows: William Detwiler, Hugh Everett, Jr., and Thaddeus A. Riley.

Later in the season the girls' teams of College Park and the G Street Campus will stage a shoulder-to-shoulder match at Maryland, which is sure to furnish interesting and close competition.

Negotiations are also on for a novel match to be held, probably, in April, between teams of five of the best men shooters and five of the best girl marksmen of each school.

## RIFLEMEN FIRES N. Y. COLLEGE

The Rifle Team continues in action this week, ending February 23d, against College of the City of New York, which finished fifth in the New York match, in a telegraphic four-position match. Official N. R. A. targets have been exchanged. The two teams will fire from the distance of 50 feet. The five high scores of ten shooters representing C. C. N. Y. and G. W. will constitute the team total.

## CHI SIGMA GAMMA GIVES BENEFIT DANCE MARCH 7

A benefit dance will be given March 7 by the Chi Sigma Gamma sorority, the proceeds of which will be turned over to the endowment fund, Marie O'Dea, president of the organization announces. The Freshman orchestra, led by William S. Callahan, will play. This orchestra is now booking engagements, and may be reached through Sherman E. Johnson, manager, care of the Hatchet.

## MORSE MADE HONORARY MEMBER OF ENOSINIAN

William Northrup Morse, of the English Department of George Washington, read his poems at the last meeting of the Enosinian honorary literary society, February 11, and was admitted to honorary membership in the organization. Professor Morse came to this University from Harvard, where he has been connected with the English Department and also doing graduate work. While there he studied playwriting under Professor George Pierce Baker, and wrote the play, "Two on a Park Bench," presented by The Mimes, recently shown to a small audience of professors, critics, and students, and which will be produced a second time Junior Week.

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## JUNIOR WEEK

The most brilliant affair of the  
season's most brilliant week  
takes place to-night. The Junior  
Prom is looked forward to by all  
and forgotten by few, and is con-  
ceded to be the criterion of Uni-  
versity functions.

The Juniors this year are to be  
congratulated on their untiring  
efforts to make their week of en-  
tertainment for the University  
surpass all others. They have  
apparently succeeded, from all  
reports, and their week func-  
tions will be supported heartily  
by the students.

## EXCHANGES

The Junior Class of the University  
of Vermont will hold annual Junior  
week in May. The plans for the week  
are, a baseball game, tennis matches,  
the Prom, and a college play.

As a substitute for the class rush,  
which sometimes gets too rough, the  
students at Northwestern College  
have the eskimo war which is staged  
between the Frosh and Sophs.

The Ohio State Lantern carries a  
query column in each issue, which  
prints answers to current questions of  
general campus interest. The ques-  
tion "Do you think flowers should be  
worn at the Junior Prom?" received  
a vote of "No" from all but one of the  
girls interviewed.

William and Mary College is plan-  
ning to conduct a summer school in  
Paris during the coming summer.

A census of 86 colleges and state  
universities shows an increase of 10,  
503 students in the enrollment of  
1923 over that of 1922.

INTERFRATERNITY PROM  
AT RAUCHER'S MARCH 21

The G. W. Interfrat Prom, one of  
the biggest social events of the year,  
will be held at Raucher's on March  
21. Already many fraternities have  
asked reservations for more than the  
allotted number of twenty.

In addition to dancing, scheduled  
from ten till two, a coalition supper  
will be served. Favors for the ladies  
will consist of black rose silk cases  
with vanity mirror, etc. Unique, eight-  
page dance orders with Japanese  
fronts have been selected by the com-  
mittee in charge whose members are:  
Clayton Langer, Ed Bettelheim, Bill  
Gordon, Ray Wiseheart and Lester  
Johnson.

President and Mrs. Lewis, with the  
deans and their wives, have been in-  
vited as patrons and patronesses.

LINCOLN MEMORIAL  
CHAPEL HELD MONDAY

The program at Chapel, Monday  
February 11th, was memorial in char-  
acter, in memory of the great Ameri-  
can, Abraham Lincoln, whose birthday  
was celebrated on the twelfth.

The orchestra composed of Gable,  
piano; Callahan, first violin; Casky,  
violin; Buchalter, saxophone; Mer-  
shon, viola; and Chewing, drums,  
gave several selections. After which  
Robert Lawrence, the Director of  
Music, led the assembly in many  
patriotic airs of the day and time of  
the martyred president.

Congressman Rathbone, of Illinois,  
gave the principal address of the  
morning, and eulogized Lincoln.

The speech was particularly inter-  
esting as Mr. Rathbone's father, Col.  
Rathbone and Miss Harris, who later  
became Mrs. Rathbone, and the Con-  
gressman's mother were in the Presi-  
dent's box at Ford's theater on the  
night Lincoln was shot.

The Star Spangled Banner closed  
the program.

## Junior Sidlights

By F. W. Darner

DR. LEON I. SHAW TO  
GIVE HELIUM ADDRESS

Chemical Society Conducts Trip to  
Plants in Baltimore—Will Hold  
Annual Dance

"Helium and the Liquefaction of  
Gases," will be the subject of a lec-  
ture by Dr. Leon I. Shaw, of the Bu-  
reau of Mines, to be delivered at the  
next meeting of the Chemical Society,  
February 20. Preparations for this  
lecture were made at the December  
meeting of the society, which was  
postponed owing to the illness of Dr.  
Shaw.

This lecture will, without doubt, be  
one of the finest to come to the Uni-  
versity this year. Dr. Shaw has had  
all the resources of the Bureau of  
Mines at his disposal, and has carried  
on much research with the inert gases.  
Helium, which is the main subject of  
his lecture, is at present much in de-  
mand, as it is almost an ideal gas for  
balloons, nearly as light as hydrogen,  
and noninflammable. The "Shenandoah," among others, is filled with it.

Helium boils at a point very close  
to absolute zero, but in spite of this,  
in recent years it has been liquefied.  
Chemists have, however, been unable  
to solidify it.

The Bureau of Mines furnishes ap-  
paratus for the lecture. Lantern slides  
will be used to illustrate it. The pub-  
lic is invited to attend.

The Chemical Society is conducting  
a trip to the Curtis Bay plant of the  
Davison Chemical Company and the  
Key Highway plant of the American  
Sugar Refinery, of Baltimore, Md., on  
February 22. The party will meet at  
the W. B. & A. station at 8.30 a. m.,  
will proceed to the former plant in the  
morning and visit the latter about two  
in the afternoon. Anyone interested  
in this trip is invited to attend.

The annual dance of the society  
will be held in the ballroom of the  
Arlington Hotel on March 3, from 9  
to 12. The subscription is \$2.00 per  
couple. Music will be furnished by  
the Bailey Nichols Orchestra. Any  
student of the University is invited  
to attend. Tickets may be obtained  
from any one of the officers of the  
society or from the following persons:  
Marie O'Dea, Ray Hann, J. F. T. Ber-  
linger, Joseph Fahey, and Nollie Ber-  
ryman.

## PROFS GIVE LAW LECTURES

The first of a series of four lectures  
by the faculty of the Law School was  
given Friday, February 15th, in the  
Law Building, 1435 K Street. The lec-  
ture was on "Commercial Paper," and  
was given by L. Russell Alden,  
Esquire.

The next lecture will be given on  
February 15th, the subject being  
"Judicial Supremacy," by Professor C.  
S. Collier. On March 26th, Professor  
H. W. Edgerton will lecture on  
"Wrongful Acts and Their Results";  
and on April 9th, Justice Wendell P.  
Stafford will lecture on "Imagination  
in the Law." All the lectures start  
promptly at 8.15 p. m.

Tickets for these lectures may be  
had upon request at the office of the  
Law School.

## FRATERNITY ORGANIZED

Preliminary steps have been taken  
to organize a chapter of the Square  
and Compass Fraternity in George  
Washington University. The local  
chapters are called Squares, and it is  
proposed to give this chapter the name  
of George Washington Square.

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nities, and membership is open to  
all Master Masons in good standing,  
irrespective of their affiliations with  
other fraternities.

Application for charter has been  
made, which contains the names of  
nine students and three professors.  
Edwin Brooker, a Junior in the Law  
School and a Past Master of Progres-  
sive Lodge, No. 954, Chicago, Ill., has  
been selected as the first president.  
The other officers are: Raymond B.  
Harding, vice president; Horace L.  
Lohnes, secretary; Hugo A. Keeman,  
treasurer; Professor Alvin E. Evans,  
historian; and Russell B. Benson, as  
tyler. It is expected that the local  
square will be constituted about  
March first.

## DELTA THETA PHI SMOKE

Professors Arnold and Evans were  
among the principal speakers at the  
mid-year smoker held by the Delta  
Theta Phi legal fraternity at the Uni-  
versity Club, Wednesday, February 13.

## FREE LANCE CLUB MEETS

The Free Lance Club met in Lisher  
Hall, Thursday evening February 14.  
J. C. Byars spoke to the organization.  
Two members were admitted. No ac-  
tion was taken on the proposed resolu-  
tion inquiring into Student Council  
elections.

PRESIDENT LEWIS TO  
HONOR GRADUATES

President and Mrs. Lewis will give  
a reception in honor of the members  
of the February graduating class of  
George Washington University at the  
Washington Club from 5.00 to 7.00  
p. m. on Thursday, February 21. The  
Board of Trustees, members of the  
University Council and members of  
the Faculty will attend, and there will  
be dancing to the Freshman Orches-  
tra.

The graduation exercises will be  
held in Continental Memorial Hall on  
Friday February 22, at three o'clock.

Alpha Delta Pi gave a theater party  
Saturday afternoon, February 16.

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**COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF JUNIOR WEEK PLANS**



**RECEPTION TO LEWIS TO BE FEBRUARY 22**

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President William Mather Lewis will be guest of honor at the big presidential reception to be held Friday, February 22, from 4.30 to 7.30 p. m., at the New Willard, the first occasion of its kind to be held in the history of the University, at which students, faculty, alumni, and patrons of the University can meet Dr. Lewis in a formal social manner.

In making plans for Junior Week this year, the Juniors were confronted with the situation of having a new president, in making plans for the usual reception. Dr. Lewis had been presented with the keys of the University at the roll call on the Monument Grounds, and a reception had been held at the time of his inauguration, but this will be the first big chance for everyone to get acquainted with him.

Dr. Lewis will be received by the Executive Council of Junior Week, and will then head the receiving line to be formed by the deans of the departments of the University and a small portion of the faculty.

Both of the ballrooms of the New Willard will no doubt be used for the big event. There will be dancing from

4.30 until 7.30 to the music of Happy Walker's Golden Pheasant Orchestra. W. G. Allard, Jr., chairman of the reception committee, has placed the invitations to the reception in the office of the Registrar at Columbian College, and in the offices of secretaries of the other colleges. Four thousand invitations have been printed. The reception committee has requested that all students who wish to attend obtain the invitations before the date of the reception and thus exclude any undesirable elements from this function.

Such a reception affords students a chance to meet Dr. Lewis, a man who is putting the University on a sound basis, with the greatest institutions in the country.

**CHERRY TREE PICTURES DEADLINE IS EXTENDED**

At the request of the Pan-Hellenic Council and the Interfraternity Association, the Cherry Tree management has made arrangements to advance the last date for having pictures taken at Edmonston Studio to March 1. This has been done to take care of prospective pledgees, as the fraternities are bidding now and the sororities start bidding on February 21.

The closing date for Senior data cards is March 1 and at that time the first makeup of Senior pages will be sent to the printer.

Below is repeated an outline of the data wanted from all Seniors. This information should be sent to Edwin S. Bettelheim, Jr., 319 Metropolitan Bank Building.

1. Name in full, spelling out first name and middle name.
2. Home address, giving town and State.
3. Candidate for what degree.
4. School of University now attending.
5. Fraternities or sororities.
6. List degrees already received.
7. List honors, achievements, and societies, giving dates.

**VALENTINE DANCE HELD**

The Acacia Fraternity held its Valentine Dance at the Chapter House, 1719 Eye Street, N. W., Saturday evening, February 9th. Rosey's Washington Five furnished the music.

Sigma Kappa gave a vaudeville show at the Chevy Chase Library, February 13. The program was extremely clever. The entire chapter participated.

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The Mid-winter Convocation will be held in the Memorial Continental Hall, February 22, at three o'clock.

John Campbell Merriam, distinguished paleontologist and president of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, will make the Convocation address. President Lewis will also speak to the graduates. The musical program for the exercises is in charge of Herman Rokeman.

About seventy degrees will be conferred upon students graduating from Columbian, Teachers', Engineering, and Law Colleges.

The academic procession, consisting of the members of the Board of Trustees of the University Council, faculties of the several colleges, and students receiving degrees, will form at 2.30, on the afternoon of the exercises, in the basement of the building and will then proceed to the auditorium.

Students, other than graduates, may obtain tickets for the Convocation exercises at the office of the secretary of the University.

Thursday afternoon, February 21, President and Mrs. Lewis will entertain, at the Washington Club, in honor of the members of the faculties and the February graduates.

The baccalaureate sermon was given Sunday, February 17, at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, by the Reverend Dr. Robert F. Fitch, president of the Hangchow College in China.

The congregation consisted largely of the members of the Board of Trustees of the University, members of the faculties, and the February graduates and their friends.

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**The Other Half**

This page is dedicated to the interests of the women in the University. It is especially designed for their service, and their cooperation is eagerly solicited.

The number of women in the University is almost equal to that of the men, and their loyalty and aid in the various activities have been as apparent as that of the men. Many George Washington women have always worked for their college and have been a credit to it. Many are now giving their time, energy, and resources to the Million Dollar Endowment Fund Campaign, the biggest thing the University has yet attempted.

But in this building of the Greater George Washington, we must build in all ways equally. Every woman must believe more surely in her University and be more loyal to it. Everyone must cooperate more strenuously with its activities and stand more firmly behind its officials. Each one must feel a more personal interest and pride in it and its inspiring program. And, to increase her faith, her college spirit, her cooperation, and her personal pride, every woman must give what she can, work, and talk for the realization of a Greater George Washington.

Not that THE OTHER HALF feel down-trodden and imposed upon, but although the girls of G. W. have always given their support to interests, they have not received their share of the recognition. Senator Magnus Johnson is quoted as having said in a recent speech, "We want justice for the boys." So, we are asking "for justice for the girls," and THE OTHER HALF is their opportunity to get it.



Phi Alpha Chapter of Chi Omega gave a formal dinner at the home of Mrs. Baker February 15.

Mrs. James Irving Steel expects to leave for Alaska soon, where she will join her daughter, Annetta Thomas Steel, Delta Zeta president, 1922-23, who has been spending the winter there with her brother. They will both return to the States late this spring.

Phi Sigma will hold a Tea Dance Saturday, February 23 from 4 to 6 at Le Paradis.

Edna Kilpatrick has as her house guest, Miss Florence Nelson, of Wyckoff, New Jersey.

Mary Louise Lemon attended an Alpha Delta house-party at Middleton, Conn., the week-end of February 8.

The Chi Omegaphone, Phi Alpha's chapter paper, made an unexpected appearance last week. It announced the Chi Omega Convention at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., June 22-27. The Greenbrier Hotel has been chartered.

Frances DeGrange, who was prominent in University life until her graduation last year is spending the winter at Guantanamo, Cuba.

Helen Periam has gone to Bermuda and will not return to George Washington until next semester.

Mary Ober has as her house guest, Neil Millsbaugh, of Jefferson City, Mo.

Phi Sigma entertained pledges and friends at a tea in the sorority rooms on Sunday, February 10, from 4 to 6.

On February 12, Phi Mu gave a Bridge party and tea at the Brooke Tea House and has asked a number of guests and alumnae.

Arrangements are being made for a dance to be given by Phi Sigma for the benefit of the University Endowment Fund.

The Washington Alumnae Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority were hostesses at a tea on Tuesday afternoon, February 12, from 4 to 6, at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Zirkle. Those who have received cards are the members of the active chapter and their friends.

Phi Mu had a dinner party in the fraternity rooms, 2024 G Street, on February 15.

Delta Zeta Sorority held a formal dance on Valentine's night, February 14, at the Acacia Fraternity house. The chaperons included Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Doyle, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Finney.

Here's Frances Randolph, the winner of the Sphinx Honor Society cup given to the person securing the largest amount in the endowment drive.

**WOMEN'S DEAN HOLDS  
DISLIKE TO EARRINGS**

Tells Experiences of Undergraduate Days and Praises Predecessor—Did War Work

George Washington's Dean of Women, Anna Lorette Rose, contrary to popular opinion, is the second woman to hold that position in the University. From 1907-09, Miss Harriet Ellis occupied the position. Dean Rose remembers her with a great deal of pleasure. She said, "Dean Ellis was a most charming woman. The University at the time of her term of office had a number of buildings on I Street, near the site of the present Arlington Building. There were two buildings known as Women's Building, and in one she and her mother had a very lovely apartment. This building also accommodated the three women's fraternities, Pi Beta Phi, Chi Omega, and Sigma Kappa, and also served as a dormitory for seven or eight students. The door of Dean Ellis' apartment was always open and the girls going to and from their rooms never failed to stop and chat. Dean Ellis also taught History of Art in the University. After leaving us in 1909, she went to Goucher College."

Anna Rose taught German and Psychology in the Mansfield Normal School, Mansfield, Pa., for several years but resigned to go to France with the Red Cross Hut Service. She worked untiringly to prepare herself and to get her appointment, and was at the dock ready to sail when the news of the Armistice was received. Dean Rose said, "I found myself in Philadelphia on Armistice night, alone, and not knowing whether to be glad or sorry, I had wanted to get across so badly. I went to a movie, Charlie Chaplin, in 'Shoulder Arms,' and intermittently laughed and cried. It is the funniest comedy I have even seen. The next morning I gathered up the parting gifts my friends had given me to use and enjoy 'over there' and went back to Mansfield to try to get my job back."

She succeeded, and finished out the school term there. The next year she came to Washington and was the Educational Director of the local Y. W. C. A. for two years. In 1921 she became Registrar of George Washington and in 1922 its Dean of Women.

Dean Rose received her education for the most part in this city. She graduated from Central High School, and received her A. B. degree from this institution in June, 1912. "There were only thirty-six Columbian College graduates that year, and last year there were one hundred and twenty," said Dean Rose. "The enrollment of the University was then about twelve hundred, one hundred and fifty of whom were women," she continued. In 1917-18, she went to Cornell University to do graduate work.

In college, Anna Rose was the secretary of her Freshman class and vice president of her Senior class. She was active on both the Cherry Tree and the Hatchet for the four years she was in the University. She is a member of the Sphinx Honor Society and of Chi Omega fraternity.

"My pet aversion," she laughingly told her interviewer, "is ear rings worn down here at college. I know one girl who stands outside my office door and takes her's off before coming in, but she puts them on again when she gets out. I like them a lot when one is all dressed up, though. The three things I want most are a Pierce-Arrow limousine, a long squirrel coat, and a ride in an aeroplane."

Dean Rose has done a great deal for our University. It is her Alma Mater, too, and she feels a deep interest in it.

Mrs. Emma Mathews Vaughan Triebel, B. S., 1909, has been librarian in the Treasury Department since 1905.

**DEAN ROSE SAYS**

The Editor of this page has asked me to write a word of greeting to the women of the University on the inauguration of this new feature. Since she has spent some fifteen minutes asking me, what she terms "lead questions," and has uncovered all my innermost thoughts and cherished secrets, I am afraid anything I might say would be superfluous.

So much has been written and said about the girl of to-day, and especially the college girls of to-day, that some one needs to come forth and sing their praises. Times may have changed but girls are girls and always will be. I was reminded of this rather sharply at Christmas time, when I remarked on the behavior of my small niece, aged four. Her mother, who had occasion to know, replied, "I can't see that children's behavior has changed much since you were four."

It is a great thing to be a college woman; and I believe it is the greatest thing to be a George Washington woman. It has always seemed a more thrilling thing to me to be a part of an organization which has just reached its stride and is well started toward its place in the sun, than to be a member of a group so long settled there, that one has nothing to do but bask in reflected glory.

President Lewis said the other night that the time had come when educational institutions must move forward, they could no longer stand still. In the front of that forward moving army you will find George Washington University, inspired by the traditions of its founders and the man whose name it bears. And in the vanguard of George Washington you will find its women loyal, steadfast, stanch, and true.

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